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EXTRACTS FROM the MISSOURI STATE REPUBLICAN PLATFORM.

Citations of Resolutions Adopted at St. Joseph Convention.

We, the republicans of Missouri, in state convention assembled, heartily indorse the administration of President Roosevelt, who has made the name of an American citizen respected in the remotest portions of the earth, and who has "taken care that the laws be faithfully executed," and thus demonstrated that there is but one law for both rich and poor alike.

We cordially indorse the platform of the republican party adopted in Chicago as a true record of a glorious past and the hope of a great and honorable future, and pledge our hearty support to the nominees of that convention, Theodore Roosevelt and Charles W. Fairbanks.

We declare ourselves against bribe-givers and bribe takers alike. Both are criminals, and we demand the punishment of each without regard to station in life or political affiliations.

We neither solicit nor desire their support. We do not recognize fine-spun theories, distinguishing between boodlers, whether principals or accessories, whether in state or municipal government and upon these principles, we have consistently stood since our organization.

We pledge that if we are intrusted by them with the government of the state to give a clean, honest and business-like administration; that no special favors shall be extended to any man or class of men or corporations; that all men shall be treated alike under the law, and receive alike the protection of the law.

We condemn the system of control of the police, and election of officers through boards appointed by the governor of the state; a system which has laid its grip on the throats of the people and throttled their will.

And, we favor no rule whereby the people of each locality shall select their own officers, and the enactment of such laws as will bring this to pass.

The sanctity of the ballot is a means of perpetuating a republican form of government. Whenever the right of a citizen to cast his ballot and have it counted, or when the right to judicially investigate fraud in election is abridged, obstructed or interfered with, the fundamental principles of our government are shaken.

We demand that the sanctity of the ballot shall be preserved; that votes shall be counted as cast; that fraud in elections shall be judicially investigated and corrected, and the perpetrators punished. And we pledge ourselves to the enactment and enforcement of laws to this end.

WHAT THEY SAY OF SCOTT JOPLIN.

The "Rag-time" Music Writer.

The Metropolitan Press of this and foreign countries, thru their musical critics, have this to say of Mr. Joplin and his compositions:

The St. Louis Globe-Democrat says: "Scott Joplin is the King of rag-time music writers." The Chicago-American says: "Only experienced musicians can play Joplin's wonderful syncopes." The New York World says: "Scott Joplin is the most gifted composer of his race and stands in a class by himself as a composer and writer of the American syncopated music known as rag-time."

POLITICAL RECORD BROKEN.

Negro Delegate—First in History of County.

Hilldale, Mo.—For the first time in the history of Howard County, a Negro has been sent as a delegate to the Republican Convention at St. Joseph, Mo. The man is Rev. J. M. Endicott, pastor of the A. M. E. church here. Among other things, he has convinced the people, of his color, in this section, that they must stand together on all propositions, if they would be recognized.

Again It Happens.

Recently at Eutawville, S. C., a drunken Negro, Kett Bookard, became involved in a quarrel with some young white men. He was arrested and fined five dollars, and being unable to pay the fine, was put in jail to serve fifteen days. That night these young white men took Bookard from the jail and carried him to the river bank, bound hand and foot, where they mutilated his body beyond recognition, then tied a stone to his neck and threw him into the river. Southern manhood asserting its self!

BLACKBURN.

Mrs. White, from Marshall, is here visiting Mrs. Ada Finley.

Mr. Adams from Marshall was here visiting friends recently.

Mrs. Adaline Valentine, from Mt. Leonard, attended meeting here Sunday.

Mr. J. H. Finley makes a business trip to Mt. Leonard every Sunday.

Mrs. Annie Frazier and Mrs. May Wilson were in Mt. Leonard last Tuesday.

Mr. Sam Williams from Kansas City was called to Pleasant Grove to be at the funeral of his cousin, Thomas Williams.

Mrs. Malinda Brockman was here last week on business.

Mrs. Sarah Thompson had an entertainment at her home Saturday night. Everybody seemed to have an enjoyable time.

Mrs. Maggie Howard and her sister Eliza Miles from Alma were the guest of our town friends Sunday.

Mrs. Alice Parker was in Pleasant Grove last Sunday to attend the wedding of Mr. Johnson.

A number of people from Waverly were here Sunday to the basket dinner, at the M. E. Church, quite a number of people were present. Rev. Tayes, of Malta Bend preached.

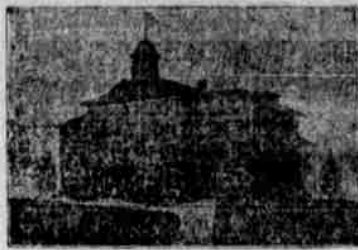
Mr. Charley Taylor and his mother were in Pleasant Grove to attend the funeral of his cousin Thomas.

Mrs. Mary Brown from Kansas City made a short visit, in our town, last week.

Mrs. Guthrie and her daughter Mary Guthrie spent the day in town Friday.

Churches are not dignified, nor pure, nor can it be that they be considered Holy places, so long as their doors are open to "any old" meeting.

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PROGRAM

SUNDAY, AUGUST 7, 1904.

- 1st—10 to 11 o'clock, Congregational Singing.
2nd—11 o'clock, Sermon delivered by
Rev. A. A. Gilbert, Lexington, Mo.
3rd—3 o'clock, Sermon will be delivered by
Rev. F. J. Peck, Kansas City, Mo.
4th—8 o'clock, Sermon will be delivered by
Rev. Wm. Alexander, Sedalia, Mo.
Rev. J. D. Barksdale, P. E., Rev. L. L. Bean, of
Marshall, Mo., and J. H. Allen of Independence,
Mo., will assist in the services.

Fare from Kansas City Round Trip
will be Reduced to \$1.50

One Fare from Slater and Marshall—
EXCURSION FROM SEDALIA.

Committees will serve Breakfast, Dinner and Supper on the ground. Everybody will be invited to Higginsville that day. We hope everybody will bring us liberal donations as we desire to raise the last dollar on that day. We shall endeavor to make it pleasant for all.

TRUSTEES: Jake Greenwood, Fred Barton, John Smith, Perry Davis, Al Franklin, Arthur Groves and George Lindsay.

REV. J. F. SAGE, Pastor.

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Greatest Fourth of August

(Greater Than All Its Predecessors.)

Amusements and Attractions At Liberty Park, Sedalia, Mo.

H. G. Phillips and W. H. Huston, Managers.

MORNING PROGRAM

- 9:20-10:00 a. m. Band Concert, corner Third and Ohio Streets.
10:30-11:00 Band Concert, corner Main and Ohio Streets.
11:30-12 M. Band Concert at Liberty Park.
12 M. DINNER.

AFTERNOON PROGRAM.

- 1:00-2:00 Firing Salutes, Sargeant "Buck Shelby."
2:00 Band escorts Speakers to Park.
Display by Automobile Club.
2:30-4:30 SPEAKING. Pres. B. F. Allen, Pres. I. E. Page and Ex-congressman, George H. White.
Rev. J. Will Jackson, D. D., Master of ceremonies.
4:30 Base Ball Rocheport Elks vs. Sedalia Blues.

Fourth of August Musicale.

8:30 P. M. Scott Joplin, assisted by others, will make this program one of the most interesting features of the celebration.

(see program in city dailies)

10 o'clock, p. m. Grand March, led by Profs. Nathaniel Diggs and John Williams.

"Please Put This in Your Next Issue"

My brother, it would give us great pleasure to do that very thing. The editorial department of the SOUTHWESTERN has great pleasure in receiving news items from the brethren on the field these men deserve every consideration; but we are too able to comply with all requests made.

The sixteen pages of our paper will hold just so much and no more, and there are twenty Conferences, with nearly 1,800 preachers who must have a hearing. Just this week we had twenty-eight columns of matter set up that could not get in the paper. It would be better for all

concerned if your articles could be published at least the week after their arrival in the office.

They could be, if you would boil them down, and in so doing you would mention the principal things that occur. We have on hand articles concerning the work of the brethren in their charges that are two months old and we are doing the best we can to publish them. If we don't succeed in getting them out as soon as you hope for be patient with us. Southwestern Christian Advo.

Little men stoop to base deeds. Watch the end of their career.

WARRENSBURG

Mrs. Bell Johnson is spending a few days in Kansas City.

Rev. J. M. Harris, of Kansas City, was in the city Wednesday.

Miss Fuel will leave Sunday for Kansas City to visit her mother.

Mr. Berry, after a long absence in St. Louis, arrived home recently.

Robert Fuel, who died in Kansas City Sunday morning, was well known here.

The Milk-Maids held their convention at the Warren Street M. E. Church, Saturday night.

Miss Lucile Miller and sister left for Kansas City Saturday, where they will spend a few days with their mother.

Mr. White, wife and daughter who have been visiting relatives here will depart for home Tuesday. They live in Lincoln, Neb.

Mrs. J. M. Harris, of Kansas City, who has been visiting relatives and friends here and in St. Louis, will return home Tuesday.

W. H. Huston, Editor of the Conservator, lunched with Miss Maria Herndon, Friday last. After a ride to Pertle Springs, he returned on the night train.

OTTERVILLE.

Mrs. Sally Finley is visiting in Booneville this week.

Mrs. Minnie Finley, of Sedalia, spent a few days with friends here last week.

Mrs. Bertha Nero, of K. C., is visiting her mother here.

Mr. Thos. Cooper, is visiting home folks here this week.

Misses Maude and Jennie Hogan entertained company at home Sunday.

Those on our streets from near by towns were: Messrs. Daniel Johnson, of Mt. Moriah; F. Golden and brother, of Byberry; Miss Cora Simpson and brother, Jno. Black.

Died—July 28 Mrs. Emily Hogan, age eighty-two years.

She had been a devoted christian for thirty years. She rests in peace.

Mrs. Outland, of Springfield, Ill., her grand-daughter, was to the funeral. The bereaved ones have our sympathy.

A Married Man's Musings

It is not good for man to be alone, but it is much less expensive.

Of all his wife's relatives a man generally prefers her mother-in-law.

A "perfect dream" of a bonnet is invariably followed by a nightmare of a bill.

After that, whenever the dressmaker's bill came, Adam probably had some heated remarks to make about snakes that couldn't mind their own business.

About the only time a fellow can get his wife's absorbed, undivided attention is when he talks in his sleep.

The first year a husband is kept busy learning to hold his tongue and the second year learning to hold the baby.

After a fellow has walked about fourteen miles every night for two weeks with the baby it pains him to be told by the doctor: you look all run down. Evidently you are not getting enough exercise.

The girl who has dreamt ten long years of a Sir Galahad Montgomery, who shall bear her away to his moated castle on a coal-black charger, generally winds up by marrying a fellow named Jones.—Saturday Evening Post.

Kansas City—\$1.50.

Round trip Sunday, Aug. 7th. Special Train leaves Sedalia 8:30 A. M. Returning, leaves Kansas City 10 p. m. Mo. Pac.

Don't fail to go to Higginsville Sunday to see Rev. Sage's New Church.

Miss Nellie Johnson of Sweet Springs, will spend the week with her many young friends here.

As programmed, the Masons went to liberty Park for their joint installation Friday evening.

Miss Nellie Glass, of Parsons, Kas., is enjoying a pleasant visit with Mrs. Nellie Reynolds, of East Morgan Street.

Mrs. J. H. Newbill was called to be at the bed side of a very sick mother. She departed Monday afternoon on the Mo. Pacific.

Miss Victoria Johnson, who has been out in Colorado, returned home Tuesday, to spend the Fourth with her friends and relatives.

Mesdames Lula Holiday and Emma Jones accompanied by Miss Blanch, and masters Byron and Tenyson spent the Sabbath in Kansas city. All report an excellent time.

Miss Edie Bruce, of Aspen, Colo., is here for a two weeks visit with her Aunt, Mrs. Salina Myers on North Ohio St. Miss Bruce arrived last Friday.

Isam Burress is busily engaged in erecting a commodious dwelling on his lot on west Morgan street. He is one of Sedalia's most industrious christian gentlemen.

Ferguson brothers, Fred and Richard, will give a swell State Fair entertainment at Liberty Park Hall, during State Fair week.

Watch for posters and Newspaper "ads."

Reverends William H. Howard of Lexington, and Harrison Green of Marshall visited us in our New "Sanctum" recently.

We were pleased to chat with those distinguished churchmen.

Miss Fannie Jamison of Georgetown has been assisting Henry Pettis, the caterer, recently to care for his large Sunday trade. Miss Jamison is one of Georgetown's most promising young damsels.

Mrs. Henry Husher, who has been in the city for several weeks under the treatment of Dr. J. M. Harris departed for home Tuesday. While here she abode at the residence of Mr. J. H. Newbill, on West Morgan.

Madame Sadie Pollard, of Chicago Ill., who has been visiting her brother August Jackman and sister, Mrs. Isam Burress, departed Monday morning for Columbia to visit her sister, Mrs. Aughes at that place. Mrs. Pollard was accompanied by Mrs. Burress.

Mr. E. P. Richardson, of Kansas City, visited at the residences of the Messrs. A. J. Adams and Thomas Grear, last week. Mr. Richardson is an experienced Embalmer and Funeral director, under the employ of the Countee Brothers, Undertakers. He will spend the week of the Fourth in our midst.

Albert Jones and brother Glem have been awarded the contract of putting in the Stone foundation for Geo. R. Smith College's New Industrial plant. These gentlemen say, they mean to do their very best work, on this job. Geo. R. means to take her stand alongside the other great educational institutions of this Western Country.

Mesdames Princess Curtis, and J. R. Porter, wife of Dr. J. R. Porter of Atlanta, Ga., arrived Sunday morning and are now the guests of Mrs. J. M. Harris, Mrs. Curtis, daughter. The ladies had as their escort Master Guy Curtis, of St. Louis, an exceptionally bright little gentleman. He with Master Mayo, will make the welkin ring at the Harris home for several days.